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APPARATUS THEREOF AND ARTICLE MADE OF THIN SHEET

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**


Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2007,  
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